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CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT 7099 3400 0016 8895 4807

Wes Hansen Quality Building Stone, Inc. 8809 South 700 West Sandy, Utah 84070

Re:

Return of Notices of Intention, Quality Building Stone. Martin and Amis #1 Quarries, S/007/037 and

S/049/038, Carbon and Utah Counties, Utah

Dear Mr. Hansen:

On October 24, 2002, the Division received Notices of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations for the referenced operations together with permit fees of \$150 for each. These notices were signed by Dan Powell for Quality Building Stone; however, according to records on file with the Department of Commerce. Dan Powell is neither a registered agent nor an officer of Quality Building Stone. For this reason. we cannot accept these notices and are returning them. We can accept the notices signed by Mr. Powell only if we have a letter from the agent or an officer of Quality Building Stone authorizing him to do so. If we receive the properly signed notices back from you within 14 days of your receipt of this letter, we will apply the fees you paid toward the new notices. Otherwise, you will forfeit the fees and will need to repay them if you submit at a later date.

Operations at both of these quarries are not permitted and are out of compliance with the Minerals Regulatory Program Rules. The Division previously issued a notice of noncompliance for the Martin Quarry, and a notice of noncompliance for the Amis #1 Quarry is enclosed. This notice of noncompliance requires that you submit an adequate Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations and salvage available topsoil at the site prior to conducting any mining operations.

We will be glad to assist you with filing the needed paperwork to have these sites come into compliance. Please call me at 801-538-5261 if I can be of assistance.

Sincerely

Senior Reclamation Biologist

Enclosures: Inspection report and notice of noncompliance

2- Original Notices of Intention

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John Blake, SITLA

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